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Latimer, Becky

From: Latimer, Becky
Sent: Wednesday, February 19, 2020 9:00 AM
To:
Subject: 2019-290-WS

Dear James Graham,

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Sincerely,
Becky Latimer



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Letter of Protest

Docket No. 2019-290-WS

Date: * 02-19-2020

Protestant Information:

Name * James Graham

Mailing Address: _____

City, State Zip * Pendleton, SC

Phone * _____

E-mail _____

1. What is your connection or interest in this case? * For example, are you a customer of the Company that is the subject of this pending proceeding? (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

I am a customer of Blue Granite Water Company.

2. Please give a concise statement of your protest. * (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

We have paid considerably higher rates than adjoining customers of Sandy Springs Water Company for many years. Blue Granite claims they need money for previous infrastructure improvements. We have seen NO work done to our water system, and have low water pressure and low flow. Our monthly water bill is about \$100.00 for 3 people, where comparable households of Sandy Springs Water Company pay \$50.00/month or less. I am very much opposed to any rate increase for our water service. Our neighborhood would like for Blue Granite to sell our neighborhood system to Sandy Springs WC.

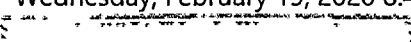
3. Do you wish to make an appearance at a hearing in this proceeding, if scheduled, and offer sworn testimony? *

No

Signature Required: _____



Latimer, Becky

From: Latimer, Becky
Sent: Wednesday, February 19, 2020 8:49 AM
To: 
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Becky Latimer



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Date: * 2/18/2020

Letter of Protest
Docket No. 2019-290-WS

Protestant Information:

Name * Tom Pas
Mailing Address * _____
City, State Zip * Lake Wylie, SC Phone * _____
E-mail _____

1. What is your connection or interest in this case? * For example, are you a customer of the Company that is the subject of this pending proceeding? (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

Customer of Blue Granite Water

2. Please give a concise statement of your protest. * (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

Object against the proposed rate increase

3. Do you wish to make an appearance at a hearing in this proceeding, if scheduled, and offer sworn testimony? *

Will be at the hearing but not offer a testimony

Signature Required: Tom Pas

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Latimer, Becky

From: Latimer, Becky
Sent: Wednesday, February 19, 2020 9:05 AM
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: 2019-290-WS

Dear Calvin and Joyce Anderson,

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Sincerely,
Becky Latimer



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Letter of Protest
Docket No. 2019-290-WS

Date: * Feb. 16, 2020

Protestant Information:

Name * Calvin and Joyce Anderson

Mailing Address

City, State Zip * Clover, S.C.

Phone *

E-mail

1. What is your connection or interest in this case? * For example, are you a customer of the Company that is the subject of this pending proceeding? (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

Current customer of Blue Granite Water

2. Please give a concise statement of your protest. * (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

We have been a customer for nearly 3 years and at least twice now we have had mandatory watering restrictions lasting from May to the end of October. They do not seem to have a handle on how to plan for expanding water service to new homes so it won't effect current consumers. They also claim that they are investing in the infrastructure, but their number item that is supposed to help customers was the replacement of manual meters to meters that send a digital signal to the company. That sounds more like company convenience than a customers. Our water bill with sewer included is consistently near one hundred dollars in the winter for two people. We think the sewer rate is too high and better planning on Blue Granite's part for water distribution(don't bite off more than you can chew) would help people on fixed incomes, as we are, stay in their homes.

3. Do you wish to make an appearance at a hearing in this proceeding , if scheduled, and offer sworn testimony? *

Not necessarily

Signature Required: Calvin & Joyce Anderson